

## Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors

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## Supervisor Nicholson to Attend Young Elected Officials Network Women's Conference to take place in New York City Jan. 31-Feb. 3

A new generation of young elected women from across the U.S. to convene for skills-building and leadership development

**Washington, D.C.**— Supervisor Marcelia Nicholson and other young progressive elected women from across the country and from every level of government will convene in New York City on Jan. 31 for a four-day conference held by the Young Elected Officials (YEO) Network, a nonpartisan program of People For the American Way Foundation.

The YEO Network Women's Conference will help women-identifying attendees prepare for the challenges of navigating public office, provide them with the continued professional development they seek, and elevate their voices and leadership within the progressive movement.

A majority of this event will be open to press and streamed live on the YEO Network's Facebook page at <u>facebook.com/youngelectedofficials</u>.

**Who**: The YEO Network and roughly 100 young elected progressive women from all levels of government.

What: The YEO Network Women's Conference

When: Jan. 31-Feb. 3

Where: JW Marriot Essex House, 160 Central Park S, New York, NY 10019.

Why: To prepare, train, and elevate young progressive elected women from all across the

country.

A full agenda for the conference can be found <u>here</u>. More information about the YEO Network Women's Conference is available at the <u>YEO Network's website</u>.

Supervisor Nicholson represents the 5th District of Milwaukee County and was an MPS educator for several years.